

Hicken Bros. Meat Market, one of the early Heber businesses, is shown here with John H. Hicken the proprietor: at the left. Mont Hicken, Thelma Ohlwiler Wootton, Elthoria Hicken Halverson and Phyllis McMillan O'Toole. The picture was taken about 1908.

Orson Moulton, also a leading town butcher. Hicken Bros. was in business 18 years.

All meat markets now operate in connection with grocery stores or the Heber Exchange. Earl Smith and Sons operate a freezing and cold storage locker business in connection with their grocery and meat market. Meats are also sold at the Safeway Store and by Ezra Van Wagoner who operates what was formerly the O. P. Skaggs store on First South and Main.

LUMBER YARDS

In March, 1933, Leslie Lowe Ashton, his wife and two young sons arrived in Heber to establish the lumber and hardware business called "Ashton's." Included in the partnership were two other brothers, C. L. Ashton of Roosevelt and Rae Ashton of Vernal. They located in the old Bonneville Lumber Company building which they had purchased from Morrison-Merrill Company of Salt Lake City.

A month later Mr. Ashton moved the old frame building back 50 feet to allow room for a service station which he built in connection with the business. Shell Oil products were distributed.

Sylvan L. Smith
"Siv" or "Syv"
Sylvan & Earl butchered with Geo together for awhile & then split up.